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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated December 13, 2005, thereby extending the time period within which to respond to February 13, 2005.

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated December 13, 2005, Applicants elect the Group I claims without traverse. The non-elected claims 11 - 24 are cancelled herewith. Early favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested.

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